

due to heart disease, hypotension due to systemic disease including infection or allergic reactions and hypotension due to one or more toxic compound or poison(s) or drug(s).

14 (new). The method of claim 1 where the condition is caused by ischemia secondary to a condition or disease selected from the group consisting of diabetes mellitus, hyperlipidaemia, thromboangiitis obliterans (Buerger's disease), Takayasu's syndrome, arteritis temporalis, mucocutaneous lymph node syndrome (Kawasaki disease), cardiovascular syphilis, connective tissue disorders, phlegmasia coerulea dolens, blood vessel trauma and organ transplantation.

15 (new). The method of claim 1 where the condition is caused by surgery of one or more organs, transplantation of one or more organs, surgical insertion transplants, devices, grafts, prostheses or other biomedical compounds or devices.

16 (new). The method of claim 1 where the ischemia is due to septic shock or conditions associated with systemic hypotension.

REMARKS

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to show changes made".

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